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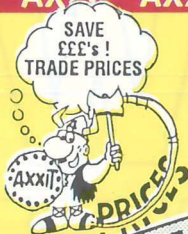
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4th Round 1981/82

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Matchday Magazine Editor:

Mr. C. Grethe, A.M.I.T.D.

Last Saturday's game was a prime example of our performance so far this season. Exciting, direct, disciplined and skilful all put together to give Birmingham, one of the fancied teams in our League, a game in which they were glad to hear the half-time whistle. After we had scored a good goal through Don Page, we failed to press home the advantage and then lost the discipline of our first half display.

We have done this too often for us as a team or for the players as individuals. I have heard too many times how well we have played and what an exciting game we have just taken part in.

We must take our undoubted ability into every game and for more sustained periods of the match. Consistency is what we are looking for now!!!

I am delighted Kevin Langley has joined the club and I have no doubt his talent will help us through the season.

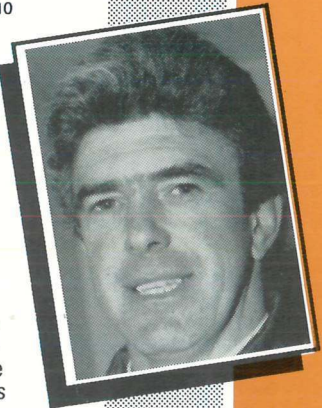
We have come a long way over the last few years and to be in a position of being able to say "No" to clubs asking about our young players was a major step forward. Now we have invested in a quality player the club is really alive with expectations of what might be!!!

Tonight we welcome Phil Neal and the lads from Bolton, a fixture we always look forward to and we can be sure of a competitive game. I'm sure tonight will be no different and I hope supporters enjoy themselves and the game. Have a good night.

Bryan Hamilton



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DAVE FELGATE

Goalkeeper. Began his career at Burnden Park as an apprentice but made his league bow on loan with Rochdale. He was later sold to Lincoln without making a league appearance for Bolton and after making 198 appearances for the Sincil Bank Club moved to Grimsby. He returned to Bolton in February 1987, and has been an everpresent since then.

PHIL BROWN

Full-back. Signed for Bolton in a £17,000 transfer from Halifax Town during June 1988. Commenced his league career with Hartlepool where he made over 200 league appearances before completing 135 games for Halifax.

BARRY COWDRILL

Full-back. Made over 100 league appearances in an eight year spell at West Bromwich who secured his services from Sutton Coldfield Town. Joined Bolton in July 1988, he can also play on the left side of midfield—a position where he began his career.

MARK WINSTANLEY

Defender. Came through the clubs youth ranks to make his league debut in March 1986. He became a regular in the run in to promotion from the fourth division in 1988.

MARK CAME

Defender. Came to Burnden Park from non-league Winsford United in 1984 and quickly forced his way into the league side.

JULIAN DARBY

Midfield/Defender. Signed for the Wanderers straight from school. He made his debut in March 1986 and has since proved his versatility with consistent performances in both the midfield and defensive departments.

STUART STORER

Midfield. Joined Wanderers in January 1988 for £25,000 from Everton after a loan spell with the club. Began his career with Mansfield Town, then moved to Birmingham City before going to Goodison Park. Whilst on Merseyside he also had a loan spell at Wigan Athletic.

STEVE THOMPSON

Midfield. The Clubs longest serving professional who progressed through the youth ranks to make his league debut in November 1982.

DAVID BURKE

Midfield. Signed from Crystal Palace for £60,000 rejoining his first league club.

TONY PHILLISKIRK

Forward. Began his league career with Sheffield United. After a loan spell at Rotherham, he moved to Oldham in July 1988. Preston North End paid £50,000 to secure his services. Joined the Wanderers for a similar fee.

DAVID REEVES

Forward. Joined Sheffield Wednesday in 1986, but made his league debut on loan to Scunthorpe United in December that year. Joined Burnley on loan in November 1987, scoring against Bolton on his debut.

Welcome to Springfield Park.....



BOLTON WANDERERS - SEASON 1990/91

BACK ROW - Left to Right: Paul Hughes, Barry Cowdrill, Mark Came, Mark Winstanley, Paul Comstive, Alan Stubbs, Nicky Spooner, Robbie Savage.
MIDDLE ROW - Left to Right: Phil Neal (Manager), Julian Darby, Gary Henshaw, Dean Crombie, Dave Felgate, Kevin Rose, Mike Jeffrey, Gary Brown, Neil Fisher, Mick Brown (Coach).
FRONT ROW - Left to Right: Ewan Simpson (Physiotherapist), David Reeves, Phil Brown, Tony Philliskirk, Stuart Storer, Steve Thompson, David Burke, Darren Oliver, Scott Green, Steve Carroll (Youth Team Coach).

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Hello and welcome to what is always an exciting game against Bolton Wanderers.

A special hello to Wigan Athletics' latest signing Kevin Langley. Kevin has made no secret of the fact that he has wanted to come back to Wigan for quite a while and I'm sure the Wigan fans will welcome him with open arms. Kevin has the experience that will help our young squad as he played at Everton and Manchester City before joining Birmingham.

Well done, yet again to Don Page scoring against Birmingham. Don must be an example to all the lads here at Latics who are waiting to get back into the first team. His persistence and hard work won him his place and since then he doesn't seem to have put a foot wrong. It's not surprising now, walking around the ground how many people are saying that they knew Don would make it with a bit of time and patience.

Another exciting game against Tranmere Rovers on Monday evening with three ex-Tranmere players in our line-up including the very impressive Ray Woods. Woodsy, you've got nothing to prove there, just go out and enjoy it.

Enjoy the game!

Bye,
Joe.

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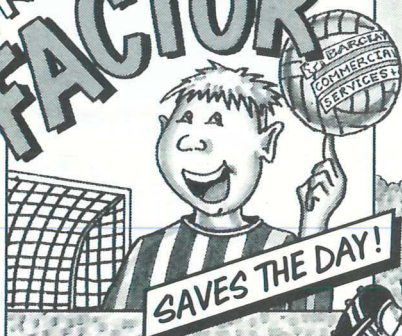
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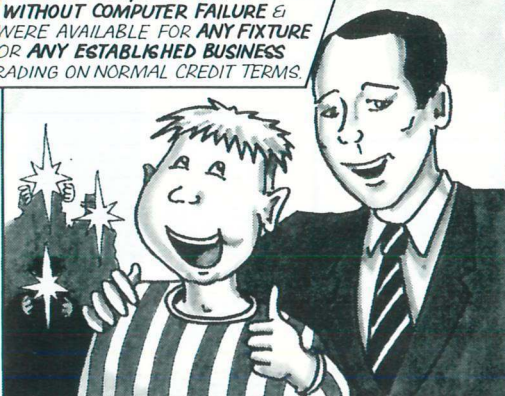
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Heinz

Good evening and welcome to Springfield Park for what should be another exciting local derby with our friends and rivals Bolton Wanderers and who knows, by playing a team from the north of England tonight we might just get a few seconds on TV's "Kick Off". I don't know what's happened to upset dear old Elton Welsby but all I've seen on kick off this season was a fleeting glimpse of the Barnsley supporters on the Shevington End followed by a brief apology. Perhaps a letter or two to the Head of Sport at Granada might go a miss.

Now on to other business. The welcome return of John Fillingham to Springfield has seen a lot of activity both on and off the pitch. John, I'm sure, wouldn't have returned to The Latics if he didn't believe that Wigan Athletic weren't about to go places, I certainly believe they are; let's look at the facts:

1. The decision to move to a purpose built all seater stadium has been made and all the necessary applications have gone in.
2. The club, for so long in dire financial trouble, has now established its position.
3. Players with experience are being bought to work alongside our very good young players.
4. The team is playing well as a whole and deserves our full support.
5. Ambitions to play at a higher grade are present at Springfield Park—as John Fillingham said last week, before the move to our new stadium.

Now its time to spread the word that Wigan Athletic are back in business, tell your friends in the pub, at work and anywhere else you can think of. Lets make an effort to bring people back to Springfield Park, try and make an effort to bring some of your mates to the next home game. Finally, welcome back Kevin Langley who was signed after last weeks game against Birmingham.

Schoolboy Football

Wigan School U15s continued in winning ways last week by beating Bolton 2-0 with young Mark Prescott bagging a brace. Congratulations to Martin Littlewood and Greg Strong on their selection for the County team.



*With
Mike Carrington*



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HOME & Away

By Colin Grethe

Enough people are writing about how well we've done "on" the field so I'll fill you in on our success "off" it.

Our Matchday Programme was a sell out for the fourth game running last Saturday, so a big thank you to all our readers! Standby for a new bigger Programme coming soon with the same new features.

One in particular gives you, the fans a chance to write in and air your views, so if you want to moan or tell us how nice we are, write in, maybe you would like to comment on football in general (I'm sure George Best and Terry Wogan would have got a mention). Send your letters to:

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Springfield Park, Wigan WN6 7BA.

In the Club Shop, sales are booming and shelves are near empty. New lines are on the way and should arrive for the next home game, these include new look shell suits, sweat shirts, tops, etc. So keep a look out.

With the clubs strike for further success and greater status there has been a big influx of new sponsors and people wanting to get more involved with the club. You will have noticed the change in advertising boards around the ground I'm sure, and without trying to sound bias the facilities for match sponsors and matchball sponsors, etc are first-class. If you feel we could help your business or you just simply want to be further involved, contact

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Colin*

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Good evening, and welcome to Springfield Park for what is always a tough match with our great rivals Bolton. They come tonight after a tough midweek trip to Highfield Road to play Coventry City in the Rumbelows Cup, having to write these notes early Wednesday the outcome isn't known but we hope their fans had some cheer from the result.

Looking to our own side we were unlucky not to take all three points last Saturday, but Birmingham provided tough opposition and it was great to see our lads playing such attractive and flowing football. It is nice to hear so many people talking about our club and tipping us for one of the top slots, we are still only a young side but the future looks great.

I would like to extend a very warm welcome back to Kevin Langley, a very skilful and experienced player who will benefit the club as well as the team. He is Wigan Athletic through and through and I'm sure will receive a rapturous welcome when he makes his debut.

Enjoy tonight's game.

Bill Kenyon.

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By Bill Kenyon

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Good evening, welcome to tonight's game.

Once again it's Derby time at Springfield Park, and tonight we welcome our friends and rivals, Bolton Wanderers, their is always a buzz around the place when the two teams meet so lets hope for yet another exciting game of football.

Our next social night (1st October), clashes with the Latics playing away at Tranmere Rovers, so I have no doubt some of you will be missing as there is plenty away support for the lads amongst the junior members.

Details will be given out about the forthcoming "Halloween Party", so don't worry if you miss anything as they will be repeated in the next programme and the local press.

At the time of writing, there are still some places left on the Junior Latics coach trip to Crewe (6th October), if anyone is interested, they can put their name down at the Junior Latics caravan during tonight's game.

Enjoy tonight's game, see you all on the social night.

Allan B. Wilkinson - Chairman.

Tonight's Mascot is 11 year old Stephen Roby who attends Up Holland High School. Stephen plays for Junior Latics Under 11s and his favourite player is Don Page.



Bolton Junior Whites have brought two mascots with them tonight. They are brothers Arron (6) and Ashley (8) Bray. Both love watching and playing football.

Happy Birthday to: Michael Waite, Sarah Aspinall, Andrew Joynt, David Harrison, Carl Pierce, Darren Foster, Joanne Plews, John Ashurst, Richard Jones, Joel Edgerton, Sharon Pye, Craig Sing.



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AUGUST 1990.										
25	Sat.	MANSFIELD TOWN	H	0-2	2,049	Adkins	Parkinson	Tankard	Atherton	Johnson
28	Tue.	BARNSELY (Rumbelows L.C. 1-1)	H	0-1	2,174	Adkins	Parkinson	Tankard	Atherton	Patterson
SEPTEMBER 1990.										
1	Sat.	Grimsby Town	A	3-4	5,162	Adkins	Parkinson	Tankard	Atherton	Patterson
4	Tue.	Barnsley (Rumbelows L.C. 1-2)	A	1-0	4,588	Adkins	Parkinson	Tankard	Atherton	Patterson
8	Sat.	A.F.C. BOURNEMOUTH	H	2-0	2,156	Adkins	Parkinson	Tankard	Atherton	PATTERSON
15	Sat.	Rotherham United	A	1-5	4,341	Adkins	Parkinson	Tankard	Atherton	Patterson
18	Tue.	Fulham	A	2-1	3,041	Adkins	Parkinson	Tankard	Atherton	Patterson
22	Sat.	BIRMINGHAM CITY	H	1-1	3,907	Adkins	Parkinson	Tankard	Atherton	Patterson
26	Wed.	Rumbelows L.C. 2-1								
28	Fri.	BOLTON WANDERERS	H							
OCTOBER 1990.										
1	Mon.	Tranmere Rovers	A							
6	Sat.	Crewe Alexandra	A							
10	Wed.	Rumbelows L.C. 2-2								
13	Sat.	READING	H							
20	Sat.	SOUTHEND UNITED	H							
23	Tue.	Cambridge United	A							
27	Sat.	Bradford City	A							
31	Wed.	Rumbelows L.C. 3								
NOVEMBER 1990.										
3	Sat.	PRESTON NORTH END	H							
10	Sat.	Stoke City	A							
17	Sat.	F.A. Cup 1								
24	Sat.	LEYTON ORIENT	H							
28	Wed.	Rumbelows L.C. 4								
DECEMBER 1990.										
1	Sat.	BURY	H							
8	Sat.	F.A. Cup 2								
15	Sat.	Shrewsbury Town	A							
23	Sun.	Brentford	A							
26	Wed.	EXETER CITY	H							
29	Sat.	SWANSEA CITY	H							
JANUARY 1991.										
1	Tues.	Huddersfield Town	A							
5	Sat.	Chester City (F.A. Cup 3)	A							
12	Sat.	GRIMSBY TOWN	H							
16	Wed.	Rumbelows L.C. 5								
19	Sat.	Mansfield Town	A							
26	Sat.	ROTHERHAM UNITED (F.A. Cup 4)								
FEBRUARY 1991.										
2	Sat.	FULHAM	H							
5	Tue.	Birmingham City	A							
8	Fri.	A.F.C. Bournemouth	A							
12	Tue.	CHESTER CITY	H							
13	Wed.	Rumbelows L.C. SF-1								
16	Sat.	Leyton Orient (F.A. Cup 5)	A							
23	Sat.	STOKE CITY	H							
27	Wed.	Rumbelows L.C. SF-2								
MARCH 1991.										
2	Sat.	Bury	A							
9	Sat.	SHREWSBURY TOWN (F.A. Cup 6)	H							
12	Tue.	TRANMERE ROVERS	H							
16	Sat.	Bolton Wanderers	A							
19	Mar.	Reading	A							
23	Mar.	CREWE ALEXANDRA	H							
30	Sat.	Exeter City	A							
APRIL 1991.										
1	Mon.	BRENTFORD	H							
6	Sat.	Swansea City	A							
13	Sat.	HUDDERSFIELD TOWN (F.A. Cup SF)	H							
19	Fri.	Southend United	A							
21	Sun.	Rumbelows L.C. Final								
27	Sat.	CAMBRIDGE UNITED	H							
MAY 1991.										
4	Sat.	BRADFORD CITY	H							
11	Sat.	Preston North End	A							
18	Sat.	F.A. Cup Final								

Press Ganged!

Welcome to all you Boltonites out to clash, but you must forgive me as a

Bolton-Wigan games are always gives us such pleasure to think that divisions.

Bolton are founder members of the quite the same reputation as the M developing all the hallmarks of these lacking finesse. The glory of winning lows depending on the result!

Latics' performances have in the n can repeat the Bournemouth and Fu to save Bolton's customary lucky pe programmes in disgust).

Oh, and Brian G, mind how you c

ATTENDANCE CHE

Attendances at Barclays League games over the the 450,000 barrier—for the fourth week running the Second currently showing an increase on lasty prisingly, the First Division is showing the best r gate of 23,750.

According to Jack Rollin's round-up in the Sunday Barclays League gates in the first four weeks of the

		AGGREGATE	GAMES
Division 1	89-90	1,038,145	49
	90-91	1,211,272	51
Division 2	89-90	722,698	60
	90-91	767,833	64
Division 3	89-90	228,063	48
	90-91	304,463	60
Division 4	89-90	148,148	49
	90-91	180,633	57
TOTAL	89-90	2,137,054	206
	90-91	2,464,201	232

ENGLISH CLUBS FLY THE FLA

Congratulations to the first English clubs to featu 5 years with both Manchester United and Aston V against continental opposition and giving thems ing further.

KTURES 1990/91

6	7	8	9	10	11	12	14
Woods	Woods	Rimmer	Daley	Fairclough	B.Griffiths	D.Patterson*5	I.Griffiths*11
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WOODS	WOODS	Rimmer	Daley	PAGE(2)	B.Griffiths	S.Appleton*11	I.Griffiths*6
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Woods	Woods	Rimmer	DALEY	Page	I.Griffiths	L.Rogerson	B.Griffiths*11
Woods	Woods	Rimmer	Daley	PAGE	I.Griffiths	Johnson*9	B.Griffiths*7
Woods	Woods	Rimmer	DALEY(2)	Page	B.Griffiths	Johnson*6	Fairclough
Woods	Woods	Rimmer	Daley	PAGE	B.Griffiths	Rogerson	Fairclough

The 'exciting' new column written by sage of the Popular Side and Wigan Reporter hack, ED JONES.

re on our sumptuous Shevington End, I hope you enjoy tonight's sed journalist if I wish you team ill. I'm sure you understand. e of the highlights of the season for us depraved Latics fans, it y 12 seasons ago, our respective clubs were separated by five

League, we have only been in it since 1978, so it may not have chester or Liverpool derbies, but games between us are fast stitious counterparts; filled with passion on and off the pitch, but e despair of losing, and inevitably, one of the season's high or

n been better than results so far this season, and it is hoped we m results again tonight. Mind you, we haven't got Phil Hughes lty this time round. *(Wanderers fans immediately rip up their*

brate if you score . . . bye-ze-bye!

end period again exceeded ith gates in all divisions bar 's figures. Perhaps, not sur- n with a rise in the average

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AVERAGE	+/- %
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23,750	+ 12.1%
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11,997	- 0.4%
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3,023	
3,169	+ 4.8 %
10,374	
10,621	

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DIVISION THREE

		League	Cup
Muir	Tranmere Rvrs	6	
Moran	Reading	5	
Angell	Southend Utd.	4	1
Darby	Bolton Wand.	2	3
Page	Wigan Ath.	4	1
Williamson	Rotherham U.	2	3
Blissett	Bournemouth	2	2
Cheetham	Cambridge U.	3	1
Cunningham	Bury	3	1
Woods	Grimsby T.	4	



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DIVISION 3

	HOME					AWAY				
	P	W	D	L	F	P	W	D	L	F
Grimsby	6	2	1	0	9	4	3	0	0	7
Southend	6	3	0	0	8	5	2	0	1	6
Birmingham	6	2	1	0	5	2	2	1	0	3
Tranmere	6	1	1	1	5	3	3	0	0	9
Exeter	6	2	0	1	5	3	2	1	0	5
Bury	6	3	0	0	6	2	1	1	1	3
Stoke	6	2	0	1	7	2	1	2	0	4
Reading	6	1	2	0	7	6	2	0	1	6
Brentford	6	1	1	1	4	3	1	2	0	6
Leyton O	6	3	0	0	8	1	0	0	3	1
Chester	6	1	1	1	4	3	1	1	1	3
Bradford	6	1	0	2	3	4	1	1	1	3
Wigan	6	1	1	1	3	3	1	0	2	6
Swansea	6	1	1	1	4	4	1	0	2	1
Preston	6	1	0	2	2	7	1	1	1	7
Cambridge	6	0	1	2	6	1	1	2	0	6
Bournemouth	6	1	2	0	5	3	0	1	2	0
Bolton	6	1	0	2	4	5	1	0	2	3
Rotherham	6	1	2	0	9	5	0	0	3	2
Huddersfld	6	1	0	2	5	4	1	0	2	0
Mansfield	6	0	1	2	2	6	1	0	2	3
Shrewsbury	6	0	1	2	3	5	0	2	1	4
Fulham	6	0	1	2	1	4	0	2	1	3
Crewe	6	0	1	2	4	6	0	0	3	5

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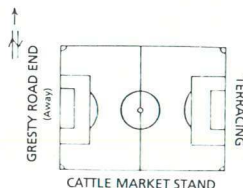
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Car Parking: Car Park at Ground (200 cars)
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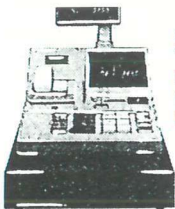
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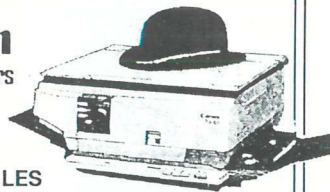


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In atrocious weather, our Reserves far deserved their 4-2 away win at Blackpool. Twice behind, once to a rather dubious penalty award, Wigan showed a lot of character in petting away for their first win of the season. The highlight of the match was undoubtedly David Fairclough's brilliant hat-trick, a real "blast from the past" so to speak. All this, too, in a match which was often played in torrential rain and gale-force winds. Fairclough's best goal was his second one which was struck with real venom from just inside the box. Jimmy Carberry's goal was just as good as he ran onto a through pass and hit it home on the half-volley.

LATICS NEWS

Lancashire
FA Youth Cup
Round 1
Wigan Athletic v Blackpool
Tuesday 2nd October 1990
Kick-Off 7.00 p.m.

Admission
Adult £1.00
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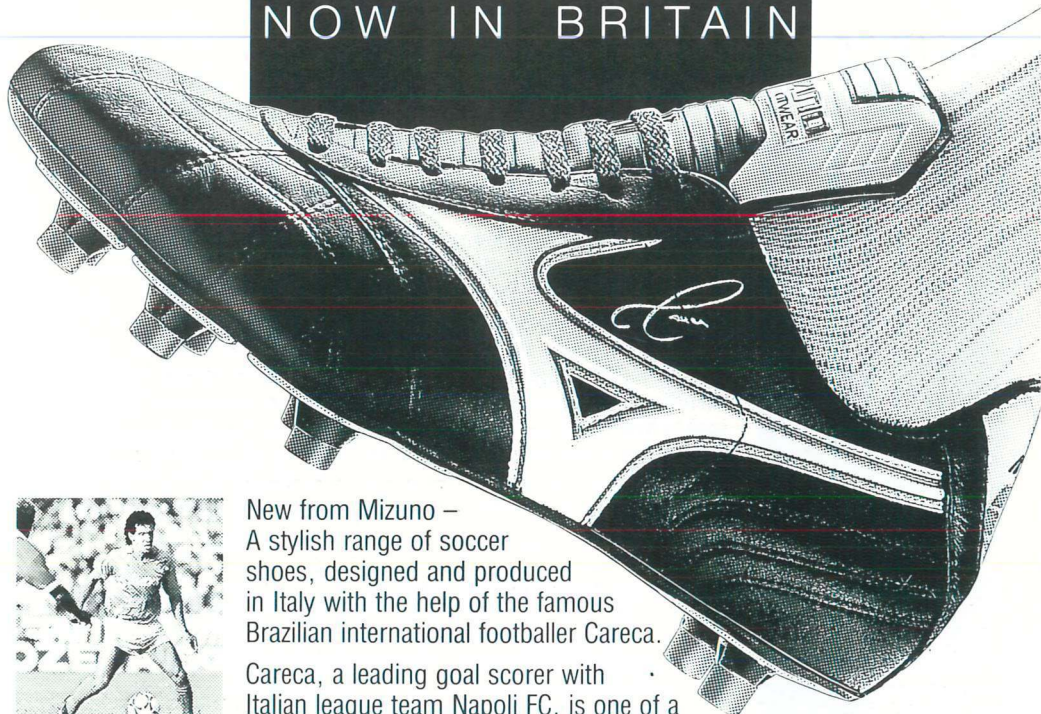
Pontins League
Division Two
Wigan Athletic v Burnley
Wednesday 3rd October
1990
Kick-Off 7.00 p.m.
Season Ticket Holders -
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HEINZ CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE

Our 'A' team youngsters visited the School of Science and gave Everton a 4-1 lesson! The Latics opened very brightly and played some delightful soccer against an Everton side which seemed to lack discipline. It was no surprise, then, when the Latics took the lead with a brilliant goal. Barry Edwardson shot past his marker and cut the ball back for Stephen Nugent to crash home first time on the turn. Everton then equalised in puzzling fashion from a free kick which seemed to result in two Everton forwards being in an off-side position but the linesman's flag was up for a penalty which no one else was aware of!

The second half saw our boys in the ascendancy against an Everton side which had little flair. Wigan went 2-1 up from a free-kick given for a professional foul which resulted in their keeper being sent off. Wigan went three up when Nugent thumped home a great shot. Everton's misery was complete when another of their players was sent off for persistent foul play and Stephen Eyre volleyed home a fourth goal in fine style.

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Ladies IN Football

During the last few weeks, through this programme, I have been trying to promote interest from both male and female Latics Fans, to come along to Robin Park to support your local ladies football team.

I can honestly say, that those supporters who have not yet been to watch us in action have missed out on a great advert for our game. The opening matches have produced team performances which show sheer determination, fighting spirit, competitiveness, character, discipline, good football and also goals! We have noticed a few new faces down at Robin Park, cheering us on, and I hope we can persuade a few more to come down in the coming months.

You have already read that the team's opening two matches produced all the ingredients of a good football match and most importantly we gained 3 points. But last Sunday's game when we faced tough opposition in Newton was one of Wigans' best performances ever!

The team showed all their qualities, and won the match 0-1. Lynn Arstall, again proving to be valuable to our attack scored our only goal of the day to give us the victory. The game itself was evenly matched in the first half, scoring chances falling to both sides but neither being able to find the net. The second half performance from Wigan would have made Bryan Hamilton smile! After taking the lead, through Arstall, Wigan found themselves disputing a penalty, awarded to Newton for an alleged push by Jo Wood. Jill Thomas stepped up to take the spot kick only to see her shot fly high over the crossbar - Wigan breathed a sigh of relief. Pauline Rimmer kept Wigan's lead safe by pulling off two superb saves during an attacking spell by Newton. Former Wigan player, Yvonne Gagen had only Rimmer to beat to grab an equaliser, but Rimmer kept her cool and produces a save any keeper would be proud of. The girls are now playing with confidence, and this victory will lift us more, and who knows, we might just cause a few more upsets!

We prepare for yet another big game on Sunday when Preston Rangers visit Robin Park, K.O. 2 p.m.

GOOD LUCK TO THE LATICS - FROM ALL AT
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KAREN PLATT
Secretary



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Good evening everyone, and welcome once again to Springfield park for this local derby against Bolton Wanderers. I must say that I thoroughly enjoyed Saturday's match against Birmingham City. For the sponsors to make Nigel Adkins Man of the Match at bit on the negative side of thinking. Although Nigel had an excellent game, Latics created enough chances to be a couple of goals up by half time. A similar performance tonight should surely win the points for Latics.

Last Saturday's raffle was in aid of the David Longhurst Memorial Fund. A fund set up by the York City supporters. With your kindness the raffle raised £60. This, together with a few pounds from club funds, will be on its way to York City F.C.

Our supporters club secretary, Joe Mills, is also on the committee of the Federation of Football Supporters Clubs, during the season Joe represents Latics at various meetings in football clubs all over the country. The last couple of meet-

ings have been at the two newest grounds in the Football League, Scunthorpe and Walsall, both, I believe, very similar in construction and both grounds with a change of name; the first person this evening to tell me, in person, the name of the two new grounds, I will buy them a drink (Supporters Club staff excluded of course).

Heinz Junior Latics F.C. Under 10s

Last Saturday morning saw another convincing win for the Juniors, away at Penketh Utd. Three goals from Neil Berry two from left-winger Paul Williams, and further goals from Paul Gorton, Andy Shawcross and Dean Worthington rounded off a good team performance. Latics even scored the Penketh goal from a deflection.

The Club is available for private functions, e.g. weddings, engagements, retirements, silver weddings, parties, etc. Buffets and disco's provided on request. Please contact Carol on Wigan 43512 for further details.

Latics Travel

Travel arrangements are now being taken for the Tranmere game at Prenton Park, reservations can be made in the Club at tonight's game, or by phoning 44433 office hours, or 43512 evenings.

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Alan Liptrot (Chairman)



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Places of Interest

Wigan Pier, Martin Mere, Camelot, Haigh Hall Country Park, Three Sisters Recreation Area, Beacon Country Park.

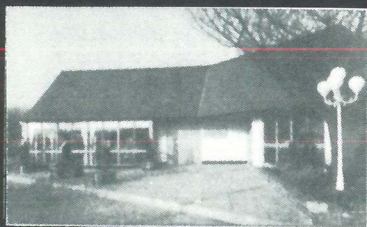
Activities

In the area are golf, sailing, riding and swimming.

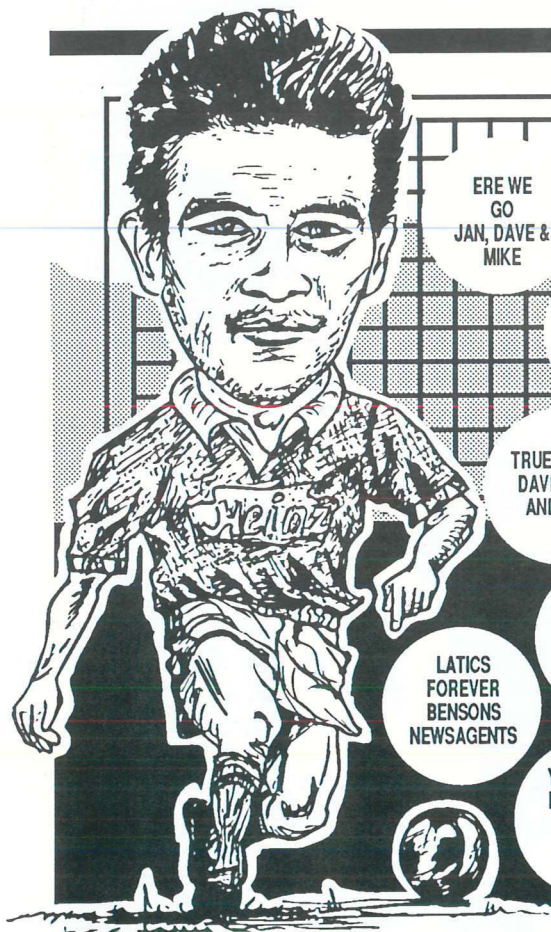
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Maltese International full back John Buttigieg has joined Swindon Town from Brentford on a month's loan with a view to a permanent move. He cost the Bees £40,000 from Sliema two years ago.

Shrewsbury Town have signed Blackpool midfielder Russell Coughlin on loan with a view to a permanent move.

Birmingham City have offered a contract to 26 year old striker Richie Moran after an extended trial.

Reading have been fined £11,000 by the league for being late with a transfer payment to Huddersfield for record signing Chris Maskell.

The Terriers should have received the £250,000 fee fixed by the tribunal on September 4, but the money was not paid until September 10.

X-rays have confirmed that Preston striker John Thomas broke his right leg in two places at Bolton after twenty five seconds, and will miss the rest of the season.

Sheffield Utd. have allowed reserve defender Darren Carr to go on a

months loan to Crewe with a £35,000 fee agreed if he stays. He has also been permitted to play in this weeks Rumbelows League Cup tie against Liverpool.

Former Aston Villa striker Gary Shaw is set to join Shrewsbury Town from Austrian club Klagenfurt for a fee of £10,000. He has had loan spells with Walsall and Kilmarnock.

Bournemouth mid-fielder Peter Shearer will be out of action for three months after an operation for knee ligament damage. He was hurt in last Tuesday nights game with Bradford City.

Garry Brooke has had his monthly contract extended by Brentford for a further month.

Reading keeper Steve Frances has been ordered to have immediate surgery after complications arising from a hernia operation and will be out of action for at least two months.

Huddersfield Town striker Mike Cecere has signed for Walsall for £25,000. He has been on loan with them for one month.

Division NEWS

By Geoff Lea



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Encounter

Past Results on this date — 28th September

YEAR	OPPONENTS	COMPETITION	VENUE	RESULT	SCORERS
1932	Chester Res.	Chesh.Lge.Cup-1/Rep	Home	7-0	Chambers (4), Jones (2), Hughes
1935	Stockport Res.	Cheshire Lge.	Away	1-1	Scott (pen)
1946	Rhyl Athletic	Cheshire Lge.	Away	1-1	Roberts
1957	Horwich RMI	Lancs. Comb.	Home	3-2	Smith, Harrison (pen), Buckle
1960	Fleetwood	Lancs. Comb.Cup-2	Home	4-1	Hazelden (2-1 pen), Taberner, Connor
1961	Prescot Cables	FAC-2Qual.Rd.Rep.	Away	3-1	J.O'Loughlin, W.O'Loughlin, Williams
1963	Hyde Utd.	Cheshire Lge.	Home	3-1	Morgans, Lyon, Edmondson
1971	Chorley	N.P.L.	Away	0-2	—
1974	Boston Utd.	N.P.L.	Away	1-1	Worswick
1976	Runcorn	N.P.L.	Away	1-1	Gore
1977	Bangor City	N.P.L.	Away	0-0	—
1982	Doncaster R.	Division 3	Away	6-3	Houghton (3), Methven, Bradd, O'Keefe
1985	Chesterfield	Division 3	Away	1-1	Newell

Wigan Athletic Career Appearances and Goals - as at end of 89/90 Season

Player	Appearances				Total	
	Lge.	Lge Cup	FA Cup	FRT/SVT/LDC	Apps	Goals
Adkins	53	5	2	5	65	-
Atherton	98(4)	5	3	7(1)	113(5)	1
Carberry	15(17)	2(1)	3	1(1)	21(19)	4
Daley	32(1)	-	3	4	39(1)	8
Griffiths	69(5)	3(1)	1(2)	6(1)	79(9)	18(4p)
Hughes	80	2	5	5	92	-
Johnson	30(11)	-(1)	1(1)	2(2)	33(15)	3
Nugent	-(1)	-(1)	-	-	-(2)	-
Page	31(9)	4	1	-(1)	36(100)	4
Parkinson	41(4)	3	2	5	51(4)	4
Patterson	12(17)	1(1)	2	2	17(18)	1
Pilling	75(10)	3(1)	3(1)	8(1)	89(13)	11
Rimmer	62(1)	6	3	4	75(1)	5(1p)
Rogerson	1(2)	-	-	-(1)	1(3)	-
Tankard	76(2)	6	3	6	91(2)	2(1p)
Woods	5(3)	-	-	-	5(3)	-

Last Home League Meeting v Bolton

Friday, 16th March, 1990. Division 3 Att. 6850

Latics (2) 2 (Griffiths 19, Brown (og)42) Bolton Wanderers 0

Teams:

Latics: Hughes, Senior, Tankard, Parkinson, Atherton, Johnson, D.Thompson, Rimmer, Pilling, Daley, Griffiths. Subs: Patterson, Carberry.

Incidents: Tankard booked 34 mins, Hughes saved penalty 63 mins.

Wanderers: Felgate, Brown, Cowdrill, Comstive, Came, Winstanley, Storer, S. Thompson, Reeves, Philliskirk, Darby. Subs: Savage for Comstive 72 mins, Brookman.

Incidents: S. Thompson booked 32 mins, Philliskirk missed penalty 63 mins, Reeves hit bar 86 mins.

Referee: L.R. Dilkes (Mossley)

On scoring his goal, Bryan Griffiths made a rude gesture to the Bolton spectators and was spoken to by the police and referee and was later fined by the Club. Bryan regretted his actions.

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	Home	Away	Pts
Altrincham	0-2	1-2	0
Bangor City	5-0	1-4	2
Buxton	4-0	0-2	2
Chester Reserves	2-2	3-3	2
Ellesmere Port T.	6-2	2-2	3
Frickley Colliery	6-2	0-4	2
Hyde Utd.	3-1	1-5	2
Macclesfield T.	0-0	1-6	1
Mossley	2-1	2-1	4
New Brighton	2-1	2-1	4
Northwich Vic.	4-2	2-2	3
Oswestry T.	1-0	2-1	4
Rhyl	6-1	2-1	4
Runcorn	4-3	2-0	4
Stafford Rang.	1-1	2-2	2
Stalybridge Celtic	2-0	1-0	4
Stockport Cnty. Res.	5-1	3-2	4
Tranmere Rov. Res.	1-1	5-0	3
Winsford Utd.	6-0	2-0	4
Witton Albion	2-0	0-2	2
Wrexham Res.	3-0	2-1	4

HOME	AWAY	Pts
PI W D L F-A	W D L F-A	Pts
42 16 4 1 65-20	10 4 7 36-41	60 2nd
Seasons Honours: Lancs. Floodlit Cup Winners (2-1 on aggregate v Morecambe); Liverpool Non League Senior Cup Winners (2-0 v Skelmersdale- away); Northern Floodlit League Winners; Northern Floodlit League Cup Winners (3-2 on aggregate v Crewe); Cheshire League Runners-Up (Edwards Case Cup)		
Leading Scorers: Bert Llewellyn 52		
Lge Cup	FA NFL LSC Lge LFC NFL LNLSL F'd.	
28(1p)	2 8 1 2 3 5 1 2	

LEAGUE APPEARANCES

Allen 2, Brown 5(2), Craig 41, Crompton 40, Grundy 17(2), Halsall 40, Hayes 28(4), D. Houghton 38, S. Houghton 33(4), Howard 3, Jenkins-(2), Lacey 20(3), Lewis 6(2), Llewellyn 40, Lyon 33, Pearson 2(3), Roberts 31, Ryan 38(1), Smith-(1), Stanley 15(2), Wilkinson 28, Substitutions in brackets (not quite sure on these)

LEAGUE SCORERS (101)

Llewellyn 28(1 pen), Lyon 27, Lacey 8, Hayes 7(1pen), Roberts 7, Crompton 6, Stanley 4, Lewis 3, Grundy 2, S. Houghton 2, Brown 1, D. Houghton 1, Pearson 1, Ryan 1. ogs-3

OTHER RESULTS

(Excluding Northern Floodlit Lge & Cup)

PRE SEASON FRIENDLIES

Bury H 1-1 Llewellyn

Bolton Res. H 1-2 Lyon

CHESHIRE LEAGUE CUP

1st Rd Altrincham H 1-0 Crompton

2nd Rd Wrexham R.H 4-1 Llewellyn (2)

Hayes, Lyon

3rd Rd Runcorn A 0-0 —

Replay Runcorn H 0-1 —

FRIENDLIES

Man. City H 0-4 —

Southport H 0-3 —

Blackburn H 3-3 Roberts, Llewellyn, Lacey

LANCS. SENIOR CUP

1st Rd Preston H 1-2 Llewellyn

FA CUP

4th Ql Altrincham A 4-2 Llewellyn (2)

Lyon, Ryan

1st Rd Tranmere A 1-1 Lyon

Replay Tranmere H 0-1 —

LIVERPOOL NON LGE SENIOR CUP

1st Rd St Helens H 5-2 Smith(2),

aet Stanley(2)

Jenkins

SF Burscough A 3-1 Roberts,

aet S. Houghton

Stanley

Final Skelmersdale A 2-0 Llewellyn,

Lyon

LANCS FLOODLIT CUP

1Rd-1 leg Ashton Utd. A 1-2 Grundy

1Rd-2 leg Ashton Utd. H 9-1 Houghton(2),

Llewellyn, Ryan,

Lyon, Wilkinson

Stanley,

Crompton,

Tortington (og)

SF-1 leg Chorley A 1-2 Llewellyn

SF-2 leg Chorley H 2-1 Lacey,

Hayes (pen)

Replay Chorley A 2-0 D. Houghton

(21pen)

F-1 leg Morecambe A 0-1 —

F-2 leg Morecambe H 2-0 Llewellyn, Lyon

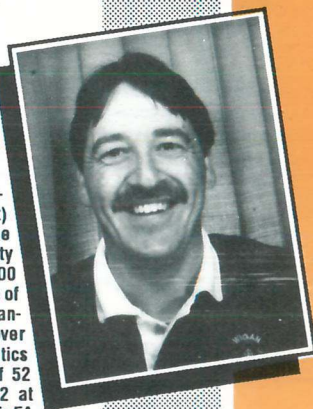
LANCS JUNIOR CUP

2nd Rd Burscough A 1-1 Roberts

Replay Burscough H 1-2 Roberts

MEMORIES SEASON 66/67

This was a season which saw substitutes allowed (Allan Brown the first) and Latics with ex Man. City star Joe Hayes in their ranks. It was Man. City who officially opened the new £15,000 floodlights in October before a gate of 10,119. Two weeks later, player-manager Allan Brown resigned to take over Luton Town. This coincided with Latics first League defeat after a run of 52 consecutive games (they lost 0-2 at Buxton). Latics were robbed in their FA Cup replay when the referee blew for time with Alf Craig into the net.



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2

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3

DAVID BURKE

PETER ATHERTON

4

SCOTT GREEN

ALAN JOHNSON

5

ALAN STUBBS

DARREN PATTERSON

6

DEAN CROMBIE

RAY WOODS

7

GARY HENSHAW

NEILL RIMMER

8

STEVE THOMPSON

PHIL DALEY

9

DAVID REEVES

DON PAGE

10

TONY PHILLISKIRK

BRYAN GRIFFITHS

11

PAUL COMSTIVE

LEE ROGERSON

12

STUART STORER

DAVID FAIRCLOUGH

14

NICKY SPOONER

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Mr G.R. ASHBY
(WORCESTER)

Linesmen:

Yellow Mr A.J. HILL (Blackpool)
Orange Mr J.B. LOVATT (Clwyd)

